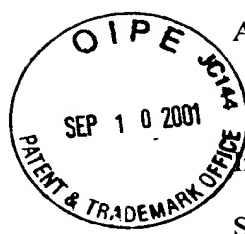


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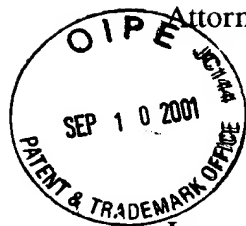


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The fee for claims has been calculated as shown below:

Total:  $27 - 20 = 7 \times 18 = \$126$

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Total additional fee for claims required is \$206.

In the event that an extension of time is required, Applicants hereby petition for such extension of time. The Commissioner of Patents is authorized to charge the required fee, if applicable, to Deposit Account No. 14-1447.